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POINTERS

Opportunity and vacant lots must be improved to make them profitable.

If a woman admits that she snores you can safely believe anything she says.

A man isn't necessarily a big-shouldered just because he has a good head for figures.

IN OTHER CITIES

Atlanta is widening Peachtree street.

New York abolishes eye clinics in schools.

Chicago church has installed 16 women as ushers.

Memphis, Tenn., boycotts all "made in Germany" goods.

New York is to have a war hospital entirely run by women.

Lansy (N. M.) women are all employed in Red Cross work.

Marion (S. D.) postmaster has been in continuous service 34 years.

San Francisco is to have a class for the study of Russian language.

Columbus, O., is to have a war exposition November 9.

San Francisco has had a convention of ten forty-niner pioneers.

Attleboro (Mass.) watch factories will employ maimed American soldiers.

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT

A man never poses as a hypocrite when he is alone.

A preferred creditor is one who never asks for his money.

Spending of votes, it isn't quality but quantity that counts.

Misery loves company—and she usually has a houseful of it.

Mind your own business unless you are paid for minding other people's.

Shun Headlessness.

The nerve-racking chase after self-gratification or material gain often blinds to the nobler sentiments; and the cold, perhaps unintentional, slight, inattention or rude, though thoughtless, rebuff wounds still further an already sore and bleeding soul whose flagging and dejected spirits might have, with a sympathetic glance, a smile of approval, or a welcoming gesture, been set all aright, the harmony to be passed along.—Great Thoughts.

The "Seckel" Pear.

G. D. Seckel Headman tells me: "The gentleman for whom I was named, George David Seckel, brought a pear tree from France which he had planted on his farm and he named the fruit the 'Seckel pear' after himself, as it was the first of the kind in this country. Mr. Seckel's city residence was on Walnut street below Fifteenth, where he died about the year 1860."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Music the Word of Germany.

Music is the word of Germany. The German people, so much curled as a nation, so enamored as thinkers, sing with a somber delight. To sing, seems a deliverance from bondage. Music expresses that which cannot be said, and which cannot be suppressed. Therefore is Germany all music in an implication of the times when she shall be all freedom.—Victor Hugo.

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Commissioner's Notice.
ESTATE OF HENRY B. RICE
The Undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Bennington, COMMISSIONER, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Henry B. Rice late of Bennington in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the Bennington Court House in the town of Bennington, N. Y., on the 12th day of December, 1918, and 12 day of June next, from 2 o'clock P. M. until 4 o'clock P. M. on each of said days and that six months from the 12th day of December, A. D. 1919, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated at Bennington this 2nd day of December, A. D. 1918.
J. H. VANDERBILT
Commissioner.

WORK OF THE RED CROSS MUST GO ON

End of Actual Warfare Does Not
Mean the Organization's Usefulness
Is Past.

On the western front the guns are silent today. The U-boats are growing barnacles in an English port. King Albert has come to his own again. The "Boys" will soon start heading for home. The war is done, although it will be a long time before all are back.

Does this mean that the Red Cross shall take off its uniform now, fold up its sheets and towels, roll up its bandages, and fold its hands? Never! The Red Cross has just begun its work. Long after peace has been declared, long after the Kaiser lies mouldering in his grave, the Red Cross will be marching on! It will halt only when men and women no longer know suffering, war, accident, flood, fire, tornadoes, ill-health, woe. For the Red Cross has opened men's eyes, and they will not allow it to stop.

It is not too much to say that the Red Cross is the greatest single agent in the world today to prevent another such horrible war as we have just passed through. That's why the Red Cross is going straight ahead, why it must not, can not, stop!

What can the Red Cross do to prevent other wars, what can it do for immediate relief now? Look at Europe! In Poland not a child alive under seven years of age! No crops, no work, no food! What kind of citizens will the babies now to be born make if some one, some organization, does not step in and give them a decent chance? Where the babies are unfed, untaught, there grows a race that knows not law nor order, that turns to fighting and to throat-cutting as the natural thing. And then another war. The Red Cross will see to it that these babies get a fair start toward decent citizenship. It is for them that the Red Cross will not stop.

In Belgium men sit and gaze at heaps of stones. Here is a man whose house is gone, his three children dead, his wife dead somewhere in Germany after worse than death. The man cannot find even the borders of his own property. He is bitter—he would like to kill—and he has nothing to eat or to wear. To him the Red Cross comes; for him it finds food and clothing and shelter, and work—and he will go again about his life. It is for such as he that the Red Cross cannot cease its work.

In France, children who were caught in the horrible days of 1914 have forgotten where they lived, who their fathers and mothers were, who they are themselves. They still live in terror of those days. For them the Red Cross is going on. In Italy, in Russia, in Serbia, children are naked and starving. In northern Italy a woman was found dripping blood from her own wrist into a cup of water with which to feed her baby. The child had had nothing else for six days! The Red Cross found her—and is going to find others like her, for we are only beginning to see what poverty, what waste, the war has made. It is to make these unfortunate people safe for the world that the Red Cross must work with greater zeal than ever.

But nearer home. In Boston a woman was found whose husband had been fighting for your flag and mine in France. Her landlord had turned her out of his house, she had fled with her three children to a cellar, and in that cellar her twin babies were born. One died! And when the Red Cross found her, able to speak only two or three words of English, overlooked by the government in the terrible rush of business, she had kept her dead baby for a week, wrapped in an old newspaper.

But help in time of war is not all. Far from it! It is only a step from the temporary relief to wounds and hunger in the war of guns to the permanent help in the war to live in peace. The world is eagerly turning to the Red Cross to make it healthy and strong and happy in the broadest meaning of those words. And until disease is forever gone the Red Cross cannot cease its work.

Remember Halifax—what might that awful disaster not have become without the help of the Red Cross? Remember the 10,519 people killed, the 291,333 people injured, in train accidents in this country in the year ending December 31, 1916. But for the Red Cross many of the 291,333 might have died. Accidents are with us yet; fires will sweep our cities, explosions will blow up munitions plants, epidemics like the influenza will carry off their eighty thousand victims, tidal waves will sweep in as upon Quebec the other day—and then in the thickest of the horror—the world will look for—and find—the love of the Great Mother, the unspeakable comfort of the Red Cross.

Two great thoughts are in the mind of the Red Cross. It aims at temporary relief from pain and sickness and heartache. It also aims at creating that background of love and kindness and friendship without which war will sweep us again and again, but with which we shall in time have a world of peace and safety. And shall the Red Cross lay aside its work, then? Never! The giving must continue as long as God gives to you; the loving must go on as long as humanity lives. Whatever else may pass, the Red Cross is alive forevermore!

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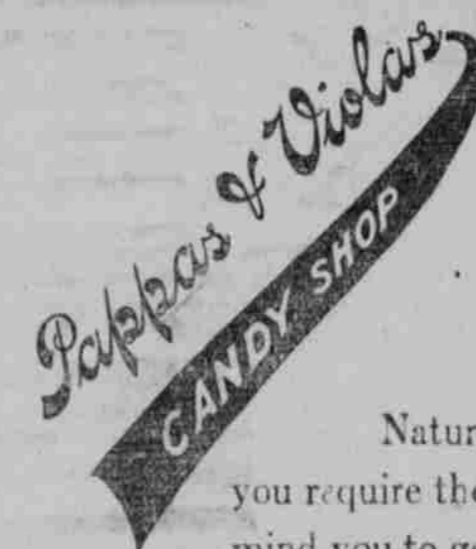
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